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<b>REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</b>  Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995. See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).	Application Number	09/628,427
	Filing Date*	July 28, 2000
	First Named Inventor	Tai-Her YANG
	Group Art Unit	2834
	Examiner Name	T. Nguyen
	Attorney Docket No.	YANG3044/EM/BEU

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1. Please consider the following as the required submission under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:
- ☒ a. The Amendment/Reply filed on (date): August 12, 2002
  - ☐ b. The Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed on (date):
  - ☐ c. The Brief/Reply Brief filed on (date):
  - ☐ d. The \_\_\_ page of Form PTO-1449 and copy of each listed document filed (date):
  - ☐ e. Other:
  - ☒ 2. A third month Petition for Extension of Time is filed herewith (two months previously submitted).
  - ☒ 3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.
  - ☒ 4. A check in the amount of \$260+ \$370=\$630 is submitted herewith.
  - ☐ 5. This Request is transmitted by facsimile to number (703) \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ☐ 6. Other:

THE RCE FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:				Basic Fee:	\$740.00		
Total Claims:		-	(highest number previously paid for) =	X \$18 =			
Independent Claims:		-	(highest number previously paid for) =	X \$84 =			
<b>Correspondence Address:</b> BACON & THOMAS, PLLC 625 Slaters Lane, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor Alexandria, VA 22314-1176  Phone: 703-683-0500 Fax: 703-683-1080				Multiple Dependent Claim (add \$2870.00):			
				Subtotal:		\$740.00	
				50% Reduction if Small Entity Status:		\$370.00	
				Total:		\$370.00	
Date:		Name:		Signature:		Reg. No.	
September 23, 2002		Benjamin E. Urcia				33,805	

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